

श्री भैरव चालीसा



॥ दोहा ॥

गणपति, गुरु गौरी पद, प्रेम सहित धरि माथ ।
चालीसा वन्दन करौं, श्री शिव भैरवनाथ ॥

O Lord Ganapati, Guru, and Gauri's refuge, I meditate on You with love.
I offer this Chalisa to Shri Shiv Bhairavanath.

श्री भैरव संकट हरण, मंगल करण कृपाल ।
श्याम वरण विकराल वपु, लोचन लाल विशाल ॥

Shri Bhairav, the dispeller of difficulties, bestows blessings and compassion.
His form is dark like a cloud, with huge and radiant eyes.

॥ चौपाई ॥

जय जय श्री काली के लाला ।
जयती जयती काशी-कुतवाला ॥१॥

Victory, victory to the beloved of Goddess Kali!
All hail the ruler of Kashi and guardian of its gate!

जयती 'बटुक भैरव' भय हारी ।
जयती 'काल भैरव' बलकारी ॥२॥

Victory to the fearless Batuk Bhairav!
Victory to the formidable Kaal Bhairav!

जयती 'नाथ भैरव' चिख्याता ।
जयती 'सर्व भैरव' सुखदाता ॥३॥

Victory to the Lord Bhairav, renowned and famous (as 'Naath Bhairav')
Victory to the benevolent bestower of happiness to all (knowns by 'Sarv Bhairav')

भैरव रूप कियो शिव धारण ।
भव के भार उतारण कारण ॥४॥

Lord Shiva assumed the form of Bhairav,
To remove the burdens of the world and serve as the cause of liberation.

भैरवं रव सुनि है भय दूरी ।
सब विधि होय कामना पूरी ॥५॥

Hearing the name of Bhairav, fear vanishes,
All desires are fulfilled in every possible way.

शेष महेश आदि गुण गायो ।
काशी के कोतवाल कहलायो ॥६॥

Shesh, Mahesh, and others sing your glories,
You are known as the guardian of Kashi.

जटा जूट शिव चन्द्र विराजत ।
बाला, मुकुट बिजायठ साजत ॥७॥

On your matted locks shines the moon,
Adorned with Bala in your ears, crown on your head.

कटि करधनी घुंघरू बाजत ।
दर्शन करत सकल भय भाजत ॥८॥

He wears a waistband with jingling bells,
All fears are dispelled by his divine presence.

जीवन दान दास को दीन्हयो ।
कृपा नाथ तब चीन्हयो ॥९॥

He bestows the gift of life on his devotees,
Recognizing them through his compassion, O Lord!

वसि रसना बनि सारद-काली ।
दीन्हयो वर राख्यो मम लाली ॥१०॥

Mother Kali and Saraswati, pleased by you,
Granted you with the boon to protect them, my beloved Lord!

धन्य धन्य भैरव भय भंजन ।
जय मनरंजन खल दल भंजन ॥११॥

Blessed, blessed is the dispeller of fear, Bhairav!
Hail to the delighter of minds and the destroyer of wicked forces!

कर त्रिशूल डमरू शुचि कोड़ा ।
कृपा कटाक्ष सुयश नहिं थोड़ा ॥१२॥

He holds a trident, a drum, and pure whip,
He is compassionate, his fierceness towards the evil, and fame of his glory boundless.

जो भैरव निर्भय गुण गावत ।
अष्टसिद्धि नवनिधि फल पावत ॥१३॥

One who sings the fearless and virtuous Bhairav,
Obtains the eight siddhis and treasures of knowledge.

रूप विशाल कठिन दुःख मोचन ।
क्रोध कराल लाल दुहु लोचन ॥१४॥

With a vast and formidable form, he liberates from hardships,
His fierce, red eyes burn with anger.

अगणित भूत-प्र-प्रेत संग डोलत ।
बं बं बं शिव बं बं बोलत ॥१५॥

Countless beings, spirits, and ghosts sway with him,
They roar with "Bam Bam Bam Shiv Bam Bam," proclaiming your connection to Lord Shiva.

रुद्रकाय काली के लाल ।
महा कालहू के हो कालाः ॥१६॥

Your body is fierce, O the beloved of Goddess Kali,
You are the supreme Kaal to even the great Kaal's.

बटुक नाथ हो काल गंभीरा ।
श्वेत, रक्त अरु श्याम शरीरा ॥१७॥

He is the Lord Batuk Nath, the profound and serious one,
With a white, red, and dark complexioned body.

करत तीनहुं रूप प्रकाशा ।
भरत सुभक्तन कहं शुभ आशा ॥१८॥

You illuminate the three worlds,
You instill auspicious hope in your devotees.

रत्न जड़ित कंचन सिंहसान ।
व्याघ्र चर्म शुचि नर्म सुआसन ॥१९॥

Seated on a throne adorned with jewels,
Your tiger skin attire is pure and soft.

तुमहि जाइ काशिहिं जन ध्यावहिं ।
विश्वनाथ कहं दर्शन पावहिं ॥२०॥

Meditate on you as the residents of Kashi do,
He is hailed as Vishwanath (Lord Shiva), the provider of divine vision.

जय प्रभु संहारक सुनन्द जय ।
जय उन्नत हर उमानन्द जय ॥२१॥

Victory to the Lord who destroys suffering, hail Sunand!
All hail the exalted one, the bliss of Uma!

भीम त्रिलोचन स्वान साथ जय ।
बैजनाथ श्री जगतनाथ जय ॥२२॥

Bheem, Trilochan, accompanied by dogs, hail to you,
Hail Baijnath, Hail Jagatnath!

महाभीम भीषण शरीर जय ।
रुद्र त्र्यम्बक धीर वीर जय ॥२३॥

Victory to the immensely fearful and formidable form,
Banisher of evil, famed in all the three worlds.

अश्वनाथ जय प्रेतनाथ जय ।
रुवानारूढ सयचन्द्र नाथ जय ॥२४॥

Victory to Ashwanath and Pretanath,
Hail to the Lord who rides a chariot of dogs!

निमिष दिगम्बर चक्रनाथ जय ।
गहत अनाथन नाथ हाथ जय ॥२५॥

Victory to you, who holds the Chakra, Nimish, without clothes,
The one who holds the hands of the helpless!

त्रेशलेश भूतेश चन्द्र जय ।
क्रोध वत्स अमरेश नन्द जय ॥२६॥

Hail to Treshalesh, Bhutesh, and Chandranath,
Hail to the one who is filled with anger, who delights by fragence!

श्री वामन नकुलेश चण्ड जय ।
कृत्याऊ कीरति प्रचण्ड जय ॥२७॥

Victory to Shri Vaman, Nakulesh, and Chanda,
Your compassion is found everywhere, your glory is immense!

रुद्र बटुक क्रोधेश कालधर ।
चक्र तुण्ड दश पाणिव्यालधर ॥२८॥

Rudra, Batuk, Krodhesh, and Kaladhar (one who stops the time),
With a wheel, trident, ten cobras in your arms, holding a noose!

करि मद पान शम्भु गुण गावत ।
चौंसठ योगिन संग नचावच ॥२९॥

He drinks intoxicating liquor and sings Shambhu's praise,
He dances with the company of sixty-four yoginis!

करत कृपा जन पर बहु ढंगा ।
काशी कोतवाल अड़बंगा ॥३०॥

He showers abundant grace upon his devotees in various ways,
The guardian of Kashi is extremely powerful!

देय काल भैरव जब सोटा ।
नसै पाप मोटा से मोटा ॥३१॥

When you confront the Kaal with your whip, O Bhairav,
Even the gravest of sins are eradicated.

जनकर निर्मल होय शरीरा ।
मितै सकल संकट भव पीरा ॥३२॥

By his grace, one's body becomes pure,
All distress and worldly suffering vanish.

श्री भैरव भूतों के राजा ।
बाधा हरत करत शुभ काजा ॥३३॥

Shri Bhairav is the king of ghosts,
He removes obstacles and fulfills auspicious tasks.

ऐलादी के दुःख निवार्यो ।
सदा कृपा करि काज सम्हार्यो ॥३४॥

He alleviates the sufferings of Eladi,
Ever ready to assist with his boundless compassion.

सुन्दरदास सहित अनुरागा ।
श्री दुर्वासा निकट प्रयागा ॥३५॥

Sundardas along with love,
At the holy confluence of Shri Durvasa.

‘श्री भैरव जी की जय’ लेख्यो
सकल कामना पूरण देख्यो ॥३६॥

Glory to Shri Bhairav Ji is inscribed,
Witness all my kaamanas to fulfillment.

॥ दोहा ॥

जय जय जय भैरव बटुक, स्वामी संकट टार ।
कृपा दास पर कीजिए, शंकर के अवतार ॥३७॥

Hail, hail, hail to Bhairav Batuk, the Lord who dispels crises.
Bestow your grace upon your devotees, O incarnation of Shankar!

जो यह चालीसा पढ़े, प्रेम सहित सत बार ॥
उस घर सर्वानन्द हो, वैभव बढ़े अपार ॥४०॥

Those who recite this Chalisa with love one hundred times,
In their home, all joy will prevail, and boundless prosperity will increase.
